

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Joseph B. Bernstein and Zhihui Duan
Application No.: 08/825,808 Group: 2812
Filed: April 3, 1997 Examiner: Hack, J.
For: LASER-INDUCED CUTTING OF METAL INTERCONNECT

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Assistant Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for filing an amendment to the Office Action dated June 3, 1999 for one month from September 3, 1999 to October 3, 1999.

	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Other than Small Entity</u>
1 month -	<u>X</u> \$ 55	<u> </u> \$ 110
2 months -	<u> </u> \$ 190	<u> </u> \$ 380
3 months -	<u> </u> \$ 435	<u> </u> \$ 870
4 months -	<u> </u> \$ 680	<u> </u> \$1,360
5 months -	<u> </u> \$ 925	<u> </u> \$1,850

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